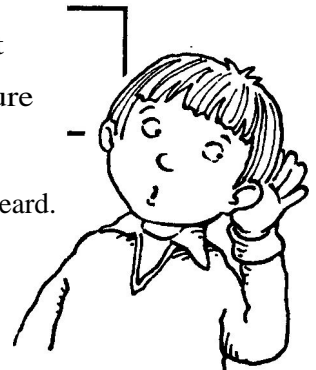


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**MANY WORDS HAVE
LATIN ROOTS.**

Something that is audible can be heard.



Root:

Aud means "hear."

An audition is a hearing to hire a performer.

An auditorium is a large space for an audience.

People gathered in a place to see or hear something make up an audience.

Gmt means "pleasing."

When you congratulate someone, you express good wishes.

Gratitude is thankfulness.

Gratify means "to please."

Jeet means "throw."

Inject means "to fill or insert."

If you reject something, you refuse it.

When you conjecture, you make a guess.

A. Read the vocabulary word. Find and circle two other words that mean almost the same thing.

1. gratify	delight	fulfill	gravity
2. conjecture	conjunction	surmise	suppose
3. inject	introduce	insert	expect
4. reject	repudiate	accept	discard
5. gratitude	appreciation	grasping	gratefulness
6. audition	radiance	presentation	hearing
~. congratulate	compliment	praise	lament

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B. Write a vocabulary word for each clue.

1. large room found in schools and other public places
2. group of people who attend a performance
3. noise within earshot

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A. Use what you know. Write the best word to complete each sentence.

- Gabriella had an _____ for a role in the school play.
- Our cat is fussy and will _____ any food she doesn't like.
- Emma is very shy and speaks in a barely _____ voice.
- The stories in that newspaper show that the reporters _____ better than they research.
- As the musicians took a bow, people in the _____ rose to their feet and clapped.
- The hostess tried to _____ some fun into the party.
- The neighbors were full of _____ when we rescued their dog.
- If you must _____ your hunger, eat some fruit.
- All the students filed into the _____ to hear the principal speak.
- My aunt called to _____ me for winning a prize in math.

B. Read each question. Choose the best answer.

- Which one's a test? ☐ audition ☐ auditorium ☐ auction
- What do you show at Thanksgiving? ☐ conjecture ☐ gratitude ☐ displeasure
- Which fruit do you reject? ☐ fresh ☐ ripe ☐ rotten
- Whom might you congratulate? ☐ loser ☐ graduate ☐ victim

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~ Writing to Learn

Explain why it is helpful to learn the root of a word. Use at least three vocabulary words as your examples.